Power of Comprehension.

(From Wearth and Home.) It was said of Thoreau, we she threw off her disguise to believe, that he could take up transfix the villain on the spot, any given number of lead pen- but instead of her husband, she cils without counting. A cele- beheld the biggest, blackest nebrated trapper once assured us gro in all that city. It was that he could tell how many the cook's sable "particular," balls he had in his bullet pouch and he had kissed her. Oh by placing his hand on it, and she no longer suspects her huswithout stopping to count them, band. and added:-"I can tell the number of bullets instantly, without stopping, as you pronounce a word without spelling Southey was accustomed In resuming the publication of to take in the substance of a THE CHRISTIAN WITNESS on a permabook in turning the leaves over nent basis, we take pleasure in ascontinuously, glancing down the suring the readers thereof, and the MCARTHUR NURSERIES. pages. Houdan, the magician, Christian Union Churches in partrained himself to quickness of ticular, and the public in general, perception, when a boy, by run- that no more suspensions are to ning past a shop window at full take place. speed, and then trying to tell J. W. Bowes, of McArthur, Vinwhat was in it. We once saw ton county, Ohio, has become the what was in it. We once saw
a man on a canal boat who was
amusing himself by going from
passenger to passenger and tellpassenger to passenger and tellWitness and its other literature, by

ton county, Onlo, had
been county, On had seen him before, on such a an arrangement with him, well setrain, in such a hotel, in such a cured, by the Committees of the said APPLE TREES street, giving date and place to General Council and Ohio State people with whom he had never Council. THE CHRISTIAN WITNESS exchanged a word. This train- is the Organ of the said Christian ing of the faculties in particular Union General Council. The Ed directions is carried to a marvelous extreme by back-woodsmen, trappers, and men who guess the weight of animals. Perhaps the most remarkable instances are the markers, who leap from log to log at the mouth of a boom, standing on the log, and translating instantly an old mark into a new one, remembering what equivalent to give for each of a hundred marks, and chopping it upon the log in the time that it floats its length. It is said that Thoreau knew

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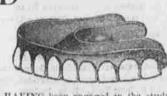


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The said Commissioners have procured to be made by an architect a full, complete and accurate plan of said Infirmary building, which said plan shows all the necessary details of the work to be done, and affords all needful information to parties who are expected to bid thereon, and who are hereby invited to make bids and proposals for the furnishing of all the material and performing all the work in the construction of said Infirmary building. The said plan and specifications are on file in the Auditor's office of said county, and are open to the inspection of all persons interested in the examination of the same.

The said Commissioners propose to locate the said Infirmary building immediately north of the dwelling house on said Infirmary farm.

The several bids that may be raade for the constructing of said infirmary building will be opened at the Auditor's office, in said county of Vinton, on

Friday, January 31st, A. D. 1873. at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M.; until which time said proposals for the same will be re-ceived at the Auditor's office, and the con-tract awarded at that time, or at a time there-after to which the said Commissioners shall then publicly adjourn the consideration of the

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that its said will there is doubt and ambiguity as to who is entitled to receive the balance of said estate; and asking the court for a con-gruetion of said will, and for direction as to the manner in which he, the said executor, half distribute the funds remaining in his bands. lary term of said court, commencing Febru ry 11th, or as soon thereafter as the same ca.

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